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[Beebots- Computer Programming in Year 1 - What fun we had!](#)



Attendance: Our class with the highest attendance last week was **EYFS with an amazing 97.2%**! Congratulations and well done. The attendance trophy was awarded to them in our celebration assembly.

Parents Open Classroom: Reading Skills -It was great to welcome so many parents to our open classroom session on Thursday. We hope that you managed to learn some new **reading skills** and strategies that you can use at home when reading with your child.

February 13th -Valentine's Disco and Rainbow Raffle: Please read the letter that will be sent to you with the finer details of this event. We look forward to seeing the children at our Valentine's Disco on Tuesday 13th February. The children are invited to come to school dressed in red and bring in a donation for our **Rainbow Raffle** on this day. A parent mail has been sent to parents regarding this.
Timings-EYFS - 3.20-4.10pm. **Y1, Y2 and Y3** -3.20-4.20pm. **Y4, Y5 and Y6** -4.40-5.40pm,

Breakfast Club handover: Though we appreciate it can be more convenient to let children walk down to the reception area themselves, we **ask that parents take all children to the reception area** and hand them over to a member of staff to ensure that they are **registered safely**.

Congestion on School Path: Some parents have mentioned how congested the path into the school playground can become, during pick up and drop off times, when parents are walking both ways. During the busier periods, we would appreciate it if you would walk around the school and **exit out of the gate past the Year 6 classroom** to ease this congestion. Thank you in advance for your co-operation.

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Diversity Calendar: Over the next 2 weeks in school we will be talking about Disability Awareness Week and Children's Mental Health Week. February is also LGBTQ+ History month and the theme this year is celebrating scientists/medicine.

Chinese New Year

We would like to wish all our friends and families a Happy Chinese New Year. We will be celebrating Chinese New Year in school with activities in all classes. Unfortunately, due to issues with supplies, **we will not** be able to cater for a Chinese New Year special lunch on this occasion, as previously planned.

Communication: We have a school calendar on our website to inform you of any upcoming events - <https://www.hallamfields.org.uk/news-events/events/>. We also use Twitter to share photos of the children's learning in school. EYFS and Year 1 classes will be sharing their news and learning via the Tapestry platform.

Best wishes

Mrs. Sultana



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